

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **ISHIOKA, Shogo et al.**

Serial No.: 09/926,347

Group Art Unit: **2829**

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Examiner: **HOLLINGTON, JERMELE M.**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: **7860**

For: **AN INSPECTION APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTIVE PATTERNS OF
A CIRCUIT BOARD, AND A HOLDER THEREOF (Amended)**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: August 4, 2003

Sir:

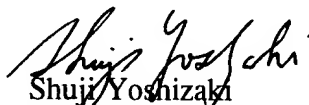
Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2003 for three months from May 3, 2003 to August 3, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

The practitioner makes reference to the limited recognition filed on August 4, 2003 in this application.

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